(SRI H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.)

(c) Government have not sanctioned any relief to the families of these sufferers.

(d) The matter is pending in the court, hence *sub judice*.

Mobile Ophthalmic Camps and Services rendered.

Q.—498. Srimathi Bellary SIDDAMMA (Davangere).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) (i) the number of patients that were freely examined in all the Government Ophthalmic Hospitals in the State since March 1953 ;

(ii) the number of patients that obtained medicine ;

(iii) the number operated and the different kinds of operations conducted ;

(b) (i) the number of patients that were treated throughout the State during the above said period by the mobile ophthalmic dispensary ;

(ii) the concessions that were extended to the patients ;

(iii) the names of experts who had organised such camps and conducted freely the mass eye operation ;

(iv) out of them, the number of patients operated by each expert ;

(v) the financial help given by the Government for such camps and also the staff spared ;

(c) (i) the eye-operation camps for which full service was rendered by the head of the Public Health Department and his staff ;

(ii) whether any partial treatment was given at the time of rendering such service ;

(iii) the number of Government officials who rendered service in each camp ?

A.—Sri T. CHANNIAH (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

(a) (i) 2,44,375.

(ii 2,44,375.

(iii) 13,122. Operations conducted : Cataract, Peripheral Iridectomy, Paracentesis, etc.

(b) (i) No Mobile Ophthalmic Dispensary is run by Government.

(ii) Does not arise in view of reply to clause (b) (i).

(iii) 1. Dr. M. C. Modi.

2. The Mysore State Ophthalmological Society, Bangalore.

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(v) Government in their Order No. M. 10045-46—Med. 77-53-2, dated 9th October 1953, have sanctioned the payment of petrol and oil charges at Rs. 150 per mensem and the salary of Driver at Rs. 100 per mensem to Dr. Modi for the period from 4th February 1953 to 31st August 1953. The services of auxiliary personnel, such as, nurses were spared during these camps.

(c) i) The medical and other staff of the Health Units of the area gave all reasonable technical assistance to the Mysore State Ophthalmological Society whenever it was necessary.

(ii) No.

(iii) the staff of the Units in and around places where the camps were held rendered assistance. (Details are under compilation).

Municipal Facilities to Sriramapura—Malleswaram Extension.

Q.—644. Sri V. R. NAIDU (Malleswaram).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether Swatantrapalya, Ramachandrapura, Lakshminarayanapura, Arjuna colony, Pit colony, Mariappanapalya, Kurubaragudisalu, Kodandaramapura, Ranganathapura extension, Dobbespet and Vasanthanagara, etc., included in the Sriramapura-Malleswaram Extension, Bangalore City, are within the Corporation limits :

(b) whether the difficulties caused to the labour class and middle class people residing in these areas for want